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Applicant: David Edward Stewart et al. Examiner: Sheila B. Smith
Serial No.: 10/811,232 Group Art Unit: 2617
Filed: March 26, 2004 Docket No.: 50037.228US01
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EXPOSING INSTANT MESSENGER
PRESENCE INFORMATION ON A MOBILE DEVICE

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination. A copy of the Amendment filed September 5, 2006 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 the amount of \$1,240, \$790 of which is enclosed to cover the required fee for a large entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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